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NOT GUILTY OF RACING TO A FIRE.

Mayor Champlin So Finds in the Case of Lieut. Vose, of Truck 3, and Driver Oumette, of Hose 2.

Mayor Champlin has given the following finding in the case of the complaint of Capt. Hunter, of H. & L. 3, against Lieut. Vose, of truck 3, and Driver Oumette, of hose 2, who came into collision with the fire engine of the fire department, at the corner of Kendall square, when they collided in the fire engine, and that while the collision was avoidable, it was not the result of any willful disobedience or of any intentional violation of the rules of the fire department. In attempting to pass the hose wagon, the driver of the truck was not negligent, and the driver of the hose wagon was not negligent. The driver of the hose wagon in turning to the right could not have appreciated the proximity of the approaching truck, or he would have avoided subjecting his apparatus and himself to the impending danger. It is of paramount importance that fire apparatus should reach the location of the fire with the greatest attainable speed consistent with safety, and it is the duty of the driver of the apparatus on its way to the fire, to a large extent, must be left to the discretion of the one in control for the time being. It is comparatively easy in retrospect to say that things ought to have been done differently; but, in determining whether a member of the fire department ought to be reprimanded or punished, and in passing judgment upon his conduct, I should endeavor to put myself in his place at the time the acts complained of occurred. There is no evidence before me to justify a finding that there was racing in the sense in which that word is ordinarily used. I therefore find the said Oumette and Vose not guilty of any intentional violation of the rules. You will cause this finding to be read at the next meeting of the firemen's duties.

TO ENTERTAIN THE CUBANS.

The Hospital Aid society connected with Holy Ghost hospital has decided to do its part toward entertaining the Cuban teachers on the occasion of their field day, July 14, at Soldiers field. On that day about one half of the teachers will be at leisure, and through the consent of the faculty 750 to 1,000 individual invitations to attend the field day.

Already the ways and means committee of the society is preparing a circular to be issued to 30 different organizations in this city, requesting the ladies in charge to act as a reception committee to assist in entertaining the teachers at Soldiers field. The societies invited will include eight lodges of Masons, eight lodges of Odd Fellows, five Temperance societies, the three Knights of Columbus councils, all of the Grand Army posts, the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A., Cantabrigia club, St. John's Literary society, the Cambridge symposium, the Foresters, Hibernians and several social organizations.

It is expected that the Cubans will be much interested in finding out the ways and means of the city, and the day will furnish an object lesson to them. The delegates who are to serve on the reception committee will meet with the ways and means committee at the hospital, Sunday afternoon, July 1, at 3 o'clock.

There are now 20 heads of tables at work and several districts are to be represented this year that have never participated before. The ladies in charge, so far as appointed up to date, are as follows: Hospital table, Mrs. Edward T. Hayes, 222 Banks street; Cambridgeport, Miss Jennie Bennett, 350 Vinland street; North Cambridge, Mrs. J. J. Prospect street; German table, Mrs. Goepfer and Mrs. Hans L. Carstein; Brighton, Mrs. Clara Horrigan; Allston, Mrs. Thomas Kelley, 60 Waverly street; Charlestown, Mrs. P. O'Rourke, 43 Monument square; St. Peter and Paul's, South Boston, Mrs. J. J. Kirby, 72 West 6th street; St. Augustine's, South Boston, Mrs. Conway, 95 Baxter street; St. Joseph's, Roxbury, Mrs. O. McCue, 13 Townsend street; West End, Mrs. O'Brien, 387 Charles street; St. Patrick's, Roxbury, Mrs. C. P. Stanton, 114 Moreland street; St. Mary's, North End, Mrs. Flynn, 260 Salem street; St. Matthews, North End, Mrs. Rogers, 9 Snow Hill street; St. Joseph's, North End, Mrs. J. J. Payson, 8 Dumas street.

Entire for the sports are now being received by Mr. John Bowler and there is every promise of rare contests. The Cambridgeport gymnastics has entered a team and also St. Joseph's, West End, and this event will be a feature of the afternoon's fun. During the evening there will be a splendid display of fireworks.

CAMERON'S CASE GOES OVER.

The case of Dr. Charles E. Cameron against the Cambridgeport fire department, before Judge Hardy, Thursday morning. The doctor was charged with stealing book-plates from the Harvard library, and also receiving stolen property. It will be remembered that the grand jury in \$1500 bonds, and that the latter found an indictment against him. When the case came up Thursday, Dr. Cameron pleaded guilty on one count of larceny and receiving stolen property. Sentence was deferred to next term.

PLANS ARE GOING FORWARD.

The Celebration on July 3d Bids Fair to Be an Interesting and Notable Occasion—The Details.

The city council committee on the 15th anniversary of the event of Washington's taking command of the army under the Washington elm, on July 3, 1775, is diligently at work completing the details for the celebration which promises to be a memorable occasion. The committee is divided into the following sub-committees: Decorations and illuminations, Alderman Brooks and Councilman Bird. Literary exercises, President Wardwell, Councilmen Lewis and Bell. Badges and fireworks, Alderman Saunders. Children's entertainment, Aldermen Shea and Saunders and Councilman Lehan. Invitations, President Wardwell, President Merrill, Councilmen Lewis and Bell. The exercises at the tree will commence at 2 o'clock. The city's invited guests and members of the city council will assemble, probably at Massachusetts hall in the college grounds, before that hour, and march to the elm for the exercises. They will be escorted by the Manual Training School band, the two local militia companies, and the four Grand Army bands. President Wardwell, of the board of aldermen, will be the chief marshal of the parade and the other members of the city council committee will act as aids.

The exercises at the tree will commence with a prayer by the chaplain of the day, probably Rev. Dr. Alexander McKenzie, followed by singing by the school children under the direction of Albert P. Briggs. There will also be music by a band and an address by Mayor Champlin.

At the conclusion of these exercises the company will march to Sanders theatre, where Gen. Curtis Guild will deliver the address of the day.

It is expected that about 500 invitations to the exercises will be sent out. Gov. Crane, members of the governor's council, senators and representatives, mayors of Massachusetts cities, justices of the supreme and superior court and prominent citizens are to be invited.

There will be a band concert on the common from 3.30 until 5 o'clock and day fireworks for the children. There will be another band concert on the common in the evening from 7.30 until 9 and also a display of fireworks. The common is to be illuminated in the evening with 200 Japanese lanterns and six calcium lights.

Mayor Champlin is to issue a proclamation calling upon citizens to decorate generally. The committee will have Wadsworth house, Christ church and Dane hall decorated while the celebration is in progress. It is proposed to use the same inscriptions on Wadsworth house, Christ church and Dane hall as were used 25 years ago. There will be no decorations at Sanders theatre as the ladies exchanged good wishes for the Alderman Doyle will see that the platform is adorned with some of his choice potted plants and flowers.

The committee is to meet the representatives of the Washington Elm chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and of the Cantabrigia club, next Monday, with a view to perfecting arrangements for additional entertainment for the children.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The last meeting of the auxiliary, until fall, was held on Tuesday afternoon, 20th. There was a large attendance and the meeting was of unusual interest. Mrs. E. L. Cheney, chairman of the devotional committee, was in charge of the first half hour, which opened with a praise service, after which Rev. Mr. W. W. Newman gave an exposition on the parable of "The Goodly Pearl," which was full of suggestive and helpful thoughts. Mr. Frank Davis most acceptably rendered the songs, "He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock," and "When the mists have rolled a splendor." At the business hour reports were received from the various committees, and plans hinted at for fall work. Mrs. R. W. Wallace gave a very interesting, practical paper on "Woman's Attitude Toward the New Century." After a brief social in which the ladies exchanged good wishes for the vacation and handshakes the auxiliary meetings stood adjourned until September.

The speaker at the open air service tomorrow will be Rev. Robert W. Wallace, of Somerville. These services which are held each pleasant Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, in front of the First Baptist church, Central square, are growing in interest. Everybody cordially invited.

The annual lawn party will be given on the athletic field adjoining the association building, Thursday evening, June 28th. Music will be furnished by the Cambridge City band; other attractions will be provided. No pains or expense will be spared to make this the best lawn party of the season.

General Secretary Budd, who is at the Cambridge hospital, continues to improve. He will remain there for several weeks more, after which he will go away to regain his strength and be ready for aggressive work in the fall.

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LIVE LOCALS FROM ALL OVER THE LOT.

Mt. Olivet lodge, F. and A. M., and other Masons to the number of about 300, left yesterday afternoon for Yarmouth, N. S., where they will be entertained by the lodge. The Manual Training School band accompanied the party. Dr. Charles H. Thomas was in charge of the arrangements. The visitors will reach home Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Francis A. Fate, pastor of the Broadway Congregational church, Taunton, Mass., will preach tomorrow at Epworth, at 10.30 and 7.30, in exchange with the pastor. Sunday school at 12 m. Epworth league at 6.30.

Mrs. Dana, of 90 Banks street, was knocked down by a cyclist in Putnam square, Thursday evening, and injured, though not severely. Dr. W. J. LaMarche, who was on a Huron avenue car at the time, hurried to her assistance, and took her to his office, where he gave her stimulants. In a half an hour Mrs. Dana was able to go home, with the assistance of Officer Leahy.

Mr. Clifford F. Lerner and Miss Emma Knowles are to be married next Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's mother, 16 Carver street.

Mrs. S. R. Knights and daughter, Miss S. L. Knights, of Hotel University, 1039 Massachusetts avenue, leave July 2 for Hotel Mooselookmeung, Rangeley lakes.

Epworth M. E. church united with churches from Chelsea and Everett in a union picnic at Lake Vaudon on Monday. The Cambridge boys took their full share of prizes in the athletic events, the winners being Robert Fawcett, Ernest Crowley, Joseph Russell, S. Johnston and Mr. Farmer. The relay race was won by the Epworth team, Messrs. Crowley, Lyon, and Fawcett. Everyone regretted that, owing to a lame knee, "Harry" Redstone was detained at home.

Cantabrigia Kindergarten. The summer kindergarten of the Cantabrigia club will be opened on July 9, and will last for six weeks. All members of the club who are willing to assist for one week, or for part of a week, are urged to notify Mrs. E. P. Wilcox immediately. The success of the kindergarten depends upon the helpful cooperation of the ladies of the club. The hours are from nine to twelve in the morning, and no previous experience is necessary for a lady to be helpful in the school. There will be a band concert on the common from 3.30 until 5 o'clock and day fireworks for the children. There will be another band concert on the common in the evening from 7.30 until 9 and also a display of fireworks. The common is to be illuminated in the evening with 200 Japanese lanterns and six calcium lights.

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with dancers, while every senior's room in the other buildings was the scene of many congratulations and wishes for future success.

Cambridge girls were well represented among the graduates. The president of the senior class, Miss Ellen Batchelor, lives on Elmwood street, in our city, and is one of the most popular girls in the whole college. She received in the dean's parlor, which was very effectively decorated with palms and laurel.

In the auditorium of Fay house, Miss Mabel Watson received the good wishes of her numerous friends. Miss Watson is the niece of Dr. James A. Dow. Miss Alice Chamberlin, who is graduating in three years, received with Miss Watson.

In room B, of Fay house, Miss Mabel Arnold was found and across the hall a special welcome was given to the Harvard men by Miss Florence James and her friends. This room was decorated with crimson, and the words, "Fair Harvard," appeared in many places. Miss Katherine James and Miss Mabel Daniels received together. Miss Daniels is the daughter of the late leader of the class club and the composer of the music of the "Copper Complication," and lives in the "University."

In Gilman house, Miss Daisy Bradbury, daughter of Principal Bradbury of the Latin school, received many guests. Vaughan house was decorated as artistically as any of the buildings, and Miss Edith Winslow, daughter of Lawyer Henry H. Winslow, had one of the prettiest rooms. Miss Gertrude Baker and Miss Kimball received in Browne and Nichols building.

Mrs. Louis Agassiz, Miss Irwin and Miss Coes received the graduates and their friends in Fay house.

The fine hall in the gymnasium adds much to the life of the day, and is making it quite as gay an occasion as at other colleges, where social life is made more of than at Radcliffe. But very rapidly the time is coming when Radcliffe can show the highest grade of scholarship, and the highest grade of development and much social life. This year's class day showed this blending, and especially did it demonstrate that Radcliffe girls can produce artistic effects in decorations, can thoroughly enjoy and give to their guests the royal time of the time, and can realize and talk about interesting and vital topics.

INMAN SQUARE.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gahm, of 100 Antrim street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, to Robert B. Crowley, of East Machias, Maine, Tuesday, the 26th inst.

Dr. Murdoch Graham, the Boston dentist, removed from Beacon street to Roxbury last week.

S. Lester Lantz and family are now located at 36 Beacon street.

John Harlow's, 134 Cambridge street, is fast becoming a favorite resort to lovers of ice cream and choice confections. His quick lunch counter was a necessity at the house, and is truly popular.

Mr. Fred A. Getting, 104 Prospect street, makes this week her annual pilgrimage to her old home, Cohoes, N. Y.

A new monthly la la dusky feline is contemplated by Cambridge literary folk to appear in the fall. Why not? There is always room at the top.

Heffernan's block, at the confluence of Webster avenue and Columbia street, bids fair to be the most magnificent structure on Cambridge street. Good!

Nichols, the expressman, is putting up a large three-story tenement house on Dickinson street. On its completion he will locate here and carry on his business from this central point.

The houses being erected on Fayette street by the Chaplin boys are nearing completion, and many of the suites are already engaged. It is expected all four houses can be occupied in September.

No. 36 Highland avenue is the home of Rev. J. A. Alexander, the newly installed pastor of the Presbyterian church. Apparently he is the right man.

The "children's day concert" takes place at the Baptist church Sunday next 24th inst. at 7 p.m. All are cordially invited. The Rev. Samuel Russell, assistant pastor of the Ruggles street church, will occupy the pulpit in the morning. Rev. George Macdonald, of Syracuse, N. Y., was the speaker last Lord's day. He created a most favorable impression as a candidate for the vacant pulpit.

Picnics or private parties desiring a cruise aboard the yacht "Nellie G." off City Point, may consult G. W. D'Vys, 55 Beacon street, a friend of Skipper Murch, of Ballardvale.

The Rev. J. Addison Alexander, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church, will preach tomorrow at 10.30 a.m. Sunday school at 12 m. The Christian Life National? and at 7.30 p.m. on the "Diverging Paths." Sabbath school from 12 to 1; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p.m. You are cordially invited.

Stuart & Jackson were awarded the contract for making for the New England Dressed Meat and Canned Co., of Boston, a large quantity of iron tank, at which they are now at work.

OBSERVATORY HILL. Nicholas Bogue and family, of Garden court, have moved to the corner of Sherman and Fenno streets.

At the parochial residence of St. Peter's church, Thursday evening, Miss Mary E. Comerford and Mr. John W. Donahue, who are now in one of the city, being well known and popular in church and social circles. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Comerford. Mr. Donahue formerly lived in Dorchester, but now is one of the brightest and promising young lithographers of Portland, Maine. The couple start in life with the best wishes of their numerous friends. A reception by the bride's parents, at their residence, 3 Hutchinson street, was extended to the whole team. The Cambridge A. A. After spending a pleasant evening, and inspecting the numerous valuable presents, the party said "good-bye" to the bride and groom, who started for their future home on the midnight train for Portland.

St. Peter's Catholic Church. About one hundred children received their first communion last week Thursday morning, at the seven o'clock mass.

The weekly meeting of the ladies' sodality, on Wednesday evening, June 21st, at 7.30 p.m., Fr. Glynn gave a very interesting talk on the Blessed Sacrament.

The feast of Corpus Christi was very appropriately observed last Sunday at the 10.30 mass. The altar was handsomely decorated with potted plants and cut flowers and hundreds of lighted candles.

At the conclusion of the mass there was a procession of the children of the Sunday school, followed by the altar boys and sanctuary choir, and Rev. Dr. Supple, who bore the Blessed Sacrament, the singing for the occasion was by the regular choir assisted by the sanctuary choir.

The feast of the Sacred Heart was celebrated yesterday with masses in the morning at 5.7 and 8 o'clock. In the evening the feast was celebrated with a very eloquent sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. Supple.

On account of the procession of the children there was no session of the Sunday school last Sunday.

St. Peter's Catholic Association. The ball team won a well played game with the Cambridge A. A. last Saturday, by a score of 12 to 9. The features of the game were the battery work of Flavin and Donahue, and the batting of the whole team. For the Cambridge A. A. Sullivan put up the best game.

Monday the ball team went to Woburn and was defeated by a score of 13 to 8. It was closely contested throughout the game, and was not decided until the last man was out. Gallagher, Flavin and Donahue played a fine game for St. Peter's.

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Thursday, June 21, 1900. Monthly meeting, Mr. Piper, President of the Board, in the chair. Present: Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Edgerly, Mrs. Fairbairn, Mrs. Mitchell, Messrs. Bicknell, Fitzmaurice, Fuller, Gage, Piper, Tausig, Taylor, Thurston, and Wyman.

The following resignations were accepted, to take effect June 30: Of Lella H. Sprague, master's assistant in the Washington school, and of M. Josephine Lamont, of the Board in executive session was ratified as follows:

Leave of absence under section 70 of the Rules, for the year, Sept. 1, 1900, to Sept. 1, 1901, was granted to Emille F. Richardson, of the Morse school, and to Alice F. Fay, of the Washington school. The following nominations, made by the superintendent, service, to begin Sept. 1, were referred to the Committee on Teachers: Of Agnes B. Goerwitz, as teacher in the English High school, at a salary of \$750; Joseph M. Norton, and William H. Varnum, in the Rindge Manual Training school, each at a salary of \$800; John J. McKenzie, as secretary of the Rindge Manual Training school, at a salary of \$450; Ella M. Pinkham, as teacher in the Morse, at a salary of \$700; Blanche B. Townsend, the master's assistant in the Washington, at a salary of \$800; and of Evelyn M. Whitman, as teacher in the Allston school from May 1, at a salary of \$650.

The following nominations, made by the superintendent, service, to begin Sept. 1, were laid on the table until the next meeting of the Board: Of Everett L. Getchell, as master in the Allston school, at a salary of \$1,500, and of W. Mortimer McVicar, as master in the Roberts school, at a salary of \$1,000. The nomination of principals of the vacation schools, as follows, were made by the superintendent and confirmed by the Board: Of Frederick B. Scotton, in the Rindge Manual Training school, at a salary of \$120, and of Frank Smith, in the English High school building, at a salary of \$80.

Mrs. Edgerly, for the Committee on Teachers, reported a recommendation that the following nominations be confirmed: Of Evelyn Whitman, as teacher in the Allston school, from May 1, at a salary of \$650; Julia M. Davis, as teacher in the Merrill school, from May 1, at a salary of \$450; Minnie Wilson, in the Putnam, from May 1, at a salary of \$450; Hattie F. Russell, as assistant in the Boardman kindergarten, from May 1, at a salary of \$450; Marion L. Akerman, as assistant in the Gannett kindergarten, from April 16, at a salary of \$450; and of Gretchen K. Weinschenk, as assistant in the Merrill kindergarten, from June 1, at a salary of \$450.

The transfer of Caroline A. Leighton, assistant in the Gannett kindergarten, to be principal of the Merrill kindergarten, from April 1, at a salary of \$600, which was referred to the Committee on Finance, on the question of change of salary, was approved, on recommendation of that committee, the thirteen members present voting yea.

The following, offered by Prof. Tausig, was accepted, and the members present voting yea: "The Committee on High Schools reports, recommending that a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars be expended for printing a catalogue of the Rindge Manual Training School, to be same to be charged to the appropriation for incidental expenses."

On recommendation of the Committee on School Houses, James Cummins was confirmed as janitor of the Taylor schoolhouse.

The following, offered by Dr. Taylor, was laid on the table till the next meeting of the Board:

"The Committee on Rules, to which was referred an order relating to the sessions of the grammar and primary schools, reports, recommending that the following be amended: 'That Section 77 of the Rules, be amended by substituting the words, "for the third clause of the section: "When a child has been tardy five times or has been absent five days or ten half days during the previous six months, it shall be the duty of the principal of the school in which the child is a pupil, to report the record of such pupil to the agent of the School Committee, giving the name and age of the child and the name and residence of the parent or guardian, unless the child has given a lawful excuse for the tardiness or absence."

Also that the words "11.40 A.M. or be inserted before the words "12.45 P.M." in the third clause of the section."

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The report of the Committee on Vacation Schools, offered by Mr. Fuller, was placed on file. In part the report says: "It is proposed to arrange these pupils in separate schools, as follows: 1. Four classes of eighty boys each in sloyd, at the Manual Training School, in charge of two sets of teachers. Two of these classes to have sessions of two hours each in the forenoon, and the other two to have similar sessions in the afternoon, and the sessions to continue for six weeks.

2. Four classes of forty-eight girls each in cooking, at the English High school, and four classes of forty boys or girls each, in sloyd. Two of these classes to have sessions of one and one-half hours each in the forenoon and the other two to have similar sessions in the afternoon, one hour of each session being given to cooking or sloyd; and the sessions to continue for six weeks.

3. Two classes of twenty girls each in dressmaking at the English High school; one class to have a session of two hours in the forenoon and the other a similar session in the afternoon; the sessions to continue for four weeks.

4. Four classes of thirty pupils each (boys and girls of the fourth and fifth grades) in East Cambridge; two of these to have sessions of two hours each in the forenoon, and the other two to have similar sessions in the afternoon; the sessions to continue for five weeks.

5. Two kindergarten classes for the benefit of the Cuban teachers at the Latin schoolhouse; the classes to be of twenty pupils each, in charge of two teachers, the sessions to be in the forenoon and to continue for four weeks.

Last year the schools were maintained by subscription, the sessions were of three hours each, one hour in the forenoon, and the other in the afternoon.

The number of pupils was three hundred fifty.

In order to provide for the large number of pupils who desire to attend these schools this year, the committee have arranged, as far as practicable, for four sessions a day, two in the forenoon and two in the afternoon, thereby making provision for eleven hundred and twelve pupils."

On motion of Mr. Wyman, the Board went into executive session for the consideration of the list of teachers and officers. On return to open session the action of the Board in executive session was ratified as follows:

Francis Cogswell was unanimously elected Superintendent of Schools for the year beginning Sept. 1, and his salary was fixed at \$3,500.

The following minute and order, submitted by Prof. Tausig, were adopted by a unanimous rising vote:—"The members of the School Committee, on the completion of the twenty-fifth year of continuous service as Superintendent of Schools, by Francis Cogswell, tender him their congratulations on this quarter century of loyal, progressive and successful conduct of his office, and wish him many years of further activity. They desire to put on record their appreciation of the earnestness and success of his work, of the progress which the schools have made under his leadership, of the tact and firmness with which he has conducted his manifold duties, and of the good will which he has uniformly won from the teaching staff."

As citizens of Cambridge as well as members of the School Committee, they are glad to express publicly their gratitude to him for the service he has rendered to the school system of the city. Ordered, that a copy of this minute, regarding the services of Superintendent Cogswell be spread upon the records of the Board, and that a copy be transmitted to the Superintendent and to the City Council."

Sanford B. Hubbard was elected agent of the School Committee, from September 1, and his salary was fixed at \$2100. Voted that salaries be fixed as follows from Sept. 1: Of Althea B. Frost, at \$750; Myrta B. Smith, at \$600; and of John Lamont, at \$600.

On recommendation of the Committee on School Houses, the trustee officers were elected and their salaries fixed as follows, from Sept. 1:—Lucian S. Cabot, John Carmichael, Jeremiah Murphy, and William H. Porter, each at a salary of \$1000.

Everett L. Getchell was elected master of the Allston school, from Sept. 1, at a salary of \$1500, under a suspension of the Rules.

John J. McKenzie was elected secretary of the Rindge Manual Training school, from Sept. 1, at a salary of \$450, under a suspension of the Rules.

The teachers in the several schools, supervisor of primary schools, directors of drawing, of music, of sewing, physical training, and of nature study, and the secretaries of the high schools were elected and their salaries fixed.

On motion of Mr. Wyman, voted to adjourn till the third Thursday of September, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Adjourned. SANFORD B. HUBBARD, Secretary.

CLASS RECEPTIONS.

The graduating class of the English high school held a reception and dance at the Newtown clubhouse, Wednesday evening, which was largely attended and a very enjoyable affair. A reception was held from 8 to 9 o'clock. The receiving party comprised Miss Wing, Miss Crook and Miss Dwyer, President of the school, and the class officers, the president, Edward H. Taylor; vice-president, Miss Ruth D. Foxcroft; secretary, Miss Ellen Mahady; treasurer, Henry D. Wych. The class song was read by Miss Edna P. Smith, and the class prophecy by Fred H. L. McInnes. The class presented the school with a handsome picture of "St. Peter's at Rome."

The dancing, from 9 to 12 o'clock, was in charge of Fred H. Dow, assisted by Miss Jessie Coleman, Miss Jennie F. Prentice, Miss Mabel H. Easton, Miss Annabelle Harding, and Messrs. William B. Taylor, Chester A. Garfield and Walter H. Dehls.

The class of 1900, Cambridge Latin school, held its reception in the gymnasium of the Latin school Thursday night. There were very large attendance. The officers were: Mrs. Josiah Q. Bennett, Mrs. William D. McWain, Mrs. Bennett F. Davenport, Miss Mary A. Bachelor and Miss Mabel E. Harris. The physical training was read by Miss Edna P. Smith, and the class prophecy by Fred H. L. McInnes. The class presented the school with a handsome picture of "St. Peter's at Rome."

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